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In order to perfect, under 37 CFR §1.55(a)(4), the claim to priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(a) and 35 U.S.C. 365(b) in the above-identified application, enclosed herewith, please find:

A Certified Copy of Finnish Pat. App. Ser. No. 991585, filed on July 9, 1999, on which the claim of priority is based;

An English Translation of Finnish Pat. App. Ser. No. 991585; and

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